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MINISTRY OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

(Department of Food)

ORDER

*New Delhi, the 21st January 1964*

**G.S.R. 137.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby makes the following Order, namely:—

1. **Short title, extent and duration.**—(1) This Order may be called the Indian Maize (Temporary Use in Starch Manufacture) Order, 1964.

(2) It extends to the whole of India except the State of Jammu and Kashmir.

(3) It shall come into force at once and shall remain in force till the 29th day of February, 1964.

2. **Definitions.**—In this Order,—

(a) "Indian maize" means maize, other than hybrid maize, grown in India.

(b) "Textile Commissioner" has the same meaning as in the Cotton Textile (Control) Order, 1948.

3. **Relaxation of prohibition against use.**—Notwithstanding anything contained in the Indian Maize (Prohibition of Use in Manufacture of Starch) Order, 1959, it shall be lawful, during the continuance in force of this Order, for the owner of a starch factory to purchase or use or cause to be purchased or used Indian Maize for the manufacture of starch under and in accordance with an authorization issued in this behalf by the Textile Commissioner.

4. **Issue of authorization.**—(1) The total quantity of Indian Maize for which authorizations may be issued under clause 3 shall not exceed such quantity as may be fixed in this behalf by the Central Government.

(2) In issuing an authorization under clause 3, the Textile Commissioner shall have regard, among other factors, to the capacity of the factory to manufacture starch and also to the maximum quantity fixed by the Central Government under sub-clause (1).

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